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Dear Gary,

Thanks for the Crenshaw story and the recorrds with it.

I wonder how Crenshaw feels about Shaw now?

The article is considerably shorter than the draft Shaw sent me. I strongly encouraged that it be shortened drastically. If they did not do that voluntarily I'm sure the News insisted on it. For the News that is a very fair headline on it.

I find it both odd and interesting that the New York agent recommended Shaw as a coauthor. He must have had some connection or somehow knew of him alone who could be used.

From these records the FBI seems to have a new filing system. 89A is a new file number. 89 in the old system meant "Assasulting or Killing ~~A Ruler~~ Federal Officer; Congressional Assassination Statute." I presume the A is to identify the new system and that the new and computer-compatible file number is 60165. With the DL after the file classification I wonder if now all offices will have the same file classification number.

With the last number that of the serial, it seems that the new system was rather new as of the time of the generation of these records.

Maybe Gary will send me a copy of the article, as he'd promsied, but I've not gotten it.

There is the suggestion in some of these records that ~~Mr~~ Kizzia made some use of the unedited manuscript of NEVER AGAIN!.

If you should get a copy without waiting for me to send it to you, will you please let me known promptly?

This is not so much to save me a book as it is to reduce the problem I'll have in packaging all I've have to send and mailing them.

That atop all else. With Case Open is was rather a burden and it was some time before I could get them all mailed.

Ditto for Dave Perry when you see him.

I've had no word on when it will be available. With Case Open I did not even hear about it until after I heard from some who had bought it. Then I got a few copied and after some time a box of them.

Thanks again and best wishes,

Harold